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**JESS HALL**  
**SHOT BY DOWELL**  
  
Shooting Occurred Saturday Afternoon—Hall Died Quickly.  
Dowell in Jail.  
  
WAS HIS SON-IN-LAW

Hardinsburg, Aug. 18. —(Special)— At about four o'clock on last Saturday afternoon Mart Dowell shot his son-in-law, Jess Hall, who soon died from the effects of the shot. The shooting occurred in about 50 feet of Dowell's house, with no one near except Dowell's son. As soon as the shot was fired Dowell ran for Hardinsburg, meeting near town Sheriff Milt Miller and Coroner Lee Bishop, who had started to the scene of the trouble. Dowell at once gave himself up and was brought to Hardinsburg and placed in jail. His examining trial was set for Thursday of this week. Mr. Dowell's son gave the alarm and soon thereafter Wm. Howard, a neighbor, found Hall with life extinct.

Dowell and Hall lived close together, and on sinking creek within two miles of Clifton Mills. Hall had been married to Dowell's daughter for about one year. His home before marriage was at Olaton in Ohio county.

## Fall Campaign.

Webster, Ky., Aug. 15, 1908.—The political parties are planning for an active and vigorous campaign. Their success in a large measure depends on it. Why may we not as Sunday School workers plan and execute as active and aggressive campaign as they?

We desire to hold one or more rallies in every district in the county. Will the district officers take notice and get busy? We also want to make a thorough house to house visitation. I feel sure it will pay a large dividend if earnestly and thoroughly done. I trust the Superintendent of visitation and the Superintendent of Superintendents will have everything in readiness.

We have done fairly well thus far this year, as those who attended our county convention will testify. The convention was a success. Had good turnout from every district, the attendance large and the interest fine. Every speaker on the program was present and made interesting and profitable talks. I take this opportunity of thanking the workers of the county for their hearty co-operation in all our plans. My association with them has been exceedingly pleasant and especially has this been true with the three Secretaries I have had as district and county president I can not recall a single unpleasant incident. While these seven years have brought responsibilities and quite a good deal of work, they have been happy years, happy in the thought that we are engaged in one of the greatest works committed to mortal man. It should have more of our attention. Will not some write it up through our county papers.

I have written quite often but so far as I know no one has read what I have written. I write not because I think I can do it interestingly, but as your president I want to call your attention to the work and its importance.

We hope to make the final report for this year the best we have ever made.

T. B. Henderson.

## The Western Kentucky State Normal.

The fall Session opens Sept. 8, 1908. Eligible persons are entitled to free instruction. The institution offers special courses of study to those persons who are preparing to enter the teaching profession. Full information furnished on application. Address H. H. Cherry, Bowling Green, Ky.

## Painful Injury.

Master J. P. Ditzbach received a very painful injury Saturday afternoon. His uncle, John Farmer, was driving a ramrod through a gun with a hatchet when the blade flew off, striking J. P. on the knee and inflicting a painful wound.

## Enjoyable Outing.

The excursion given by the ladies of the Presbyterian church on the steamer Gazebo and barge last Wednesday evening proved to be a most enjoyable affair. The boat was run as far as down Hawesville and Cannelton, stopping at each place fifteen minutes.

A stringed band furnished music and the ladies served lunches and refreshments. The excursion was also a financial success, something over forty dollars being cleared.

**JOHN K. FISHER**  
**DIES OF APOPPLEXY**  
  
Former Cloverport Man Dropped Dead at Columbia Saturday Morning—Funeral Held Here.

## SURVIVED BY FOUR CHILDREN

The funeral of John K. Fisher was held from the Fisher homestead Monday morning. The services were conducted by the Rev. B. M. Currie and the interment took place in the family graveyard.

Mr. Fisher dropped dead at 10 o'clock Saturday morning on the street at Columbia, Ky. Apoplexy was the cause of his death, which was a great shock to his family and his sister, Mrs. Adele Hambleton, of this city. His children, Barnett Fisher and David Fisher, of St. Louis, Mrs. Fred Herring, of Ohio, and Miss Clara Fisher were immediately notified. They were all in attendance at the funeral except the youngest child, David Fisher.

Mr. Fisher was a member of the well-known Fisher family and was a brother of the late John B. Fisher. He would have been fifty-two years of age the tenth of September. His occupation was that of a harness dresser and he was extensively known throughout the state especially in Owensboro where he was engaged in business for several years.

## IRVINGTON.

Miss Nell Brown, of Hill Grove, Ky., is spending this week with Miss Irene Bandy.

Mr. and Mrs. Orla Woolfolk and baby have gone to Brandenburg, after being the guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Bandy for a few days.

Mrs. Hugh Conly and son, of Birmingham, Alabama, are expected to arrive this week to be the guests of Mrs. Nora Board.

Mrs. Wade English and Dr. Duncan, of Elizabethtown, who spent some time in town last week, have returned home.

Miss Laura Chambers, after a ten day visit to Miss Clara Jolly, left for Louisville Wednesday.

Mrs. Hilf and daughter, Mrs. Fred Howard, of Louisville, arrived Sunday for a visit to Mr. and Mrs. John Nevitt.

Misses Georgia McCoy and Pearl Clegg left for Indianapolis, Ind., Thursday after being the guests of their cousin, Mrs. Eddie McAfee.

Miss Margurite Peyton has returned after spending a couple of weeks in Louisville.

Mrs. J. E. Watkins, of Louisville, was a visitor of her cousins, Misses Rachel and Beulah Mudd last week.

Dr. L. B. Moremen was in the city on Thursday.

Miss Mary Peyton is spending this week at Tar Springs.

Rev. B. F. Wilson and family spent several days last week at Kingswood attending the camp meeting.

Misses Eva and Edith Plank will return to Cloverport to day after being the guests of Miss Clara Jolly.

Miss Katie Musselman left Sunday for an extended visit to her aunt, Mrs. Plank McCoy, in Louisville.

Mr. H. H. Kemper was in Big Spring on a business trip.

Hubert Piggott is enjoying his vacation in Minneapolis to the utmost. He reports some amusing experiences at canoeing. He and a school friend are doing practical work in their chosen profession.

Mrs. Turner, of Louisville, came down Thursday for a few weeks visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Carroll.

Mr. Charlie Sterett, of Charleston, Mo., spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Culley.

Dr. and Mrs. P. E. Dempster and children have returned to Glendale after being the guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Foster Lyon.

Messrs. Finis Claycomb and Charlie McCoy returned Friday from a two week trip to Virginia and Maryland.

Miss Mary Brown, of Cloverport, Saturday was the guest of her cousin, Miss Ida Waggoner, to far few weeks.

The members of the Busy Bee Society were entertained at Mrs. W. J. Piggott's home on Friday evening from 9. Games and luncheon and a few business matters kept the young people employed until the hour for leave taking arrived.

Miss Maggie Bandy left Monday for Elizabethtown to be the guest of her friend, Miss Theola Pierson.

Mrs. Mack Avitt and children of Gulfport, Mississippi, arrived Sunday for an indefinite visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred McGhee.

Quite a number have been attending the protracted meetings that are in progress at Sandy Hill and Bewleyton.

Mrs. Alma Pheifer and Mr. Will Boone, of Louisville, were visitors of Miss Mary Cornwall Sunday.

Mrs. John Frakes and daughter, Clara D., spent Thursday at Stith's Valley, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alton Stith.

Mr. Harrison Roberts, a prominent retired citizen died at his home near Custer Saturday morning after a lingering illness. He was seventy years old. His widow and one daughter survive him. The interment was in the Cedar Hill cemetery on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Robert Hardaway, of St. Louis, Mo., who has been spending several days with his grand-parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Cox, will continue his visit here for several weeks longer.

Miss Eva Mudd and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Card and children, of Louisville, came down Saturday for a two weeks visit to Miss Mudd's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Mudd at Oakland.

Mr. Tom Rhodes, of Brandenburg, has purchased the grocery business of Mr. J. C. Hensel at this place and took possession on the 18th. Mr. Rhodes will enlarge the stock and run an up-to-date grocery which will be quite an addition to our little city. We are glad to welcome Mr. and Mrs. Rhodes to town.

Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Bailey arrived home Saturday night from Virginia where they have been for the past two weeks the guests of Mrs. Bailey's parents. They were accompanied home by her sister, Miss Vista Lyons who will visit them for several weeks.

What a misfortune it is that our educational advantages are not sufficiently good to keep our boys and girls among us until they have at least concluded their High School. This yearly exodus of the young life from our community in order to obtain school advantages, is hurtful to our town and county and state. Does any body care?

Irvington is beautifully situated with splendid railroad facilities and is an excellent community morally and socially. Let's all unite to make it a point where Christian culture may be obtained so the home seekers will not pass us by. Nothing helps in building more than good churches and good schools. The better and more of these we have the more people come to our community. Increased population of course increases business. Merchants don't have time to sit on goods boxes and discuss policies in a thriving town which is building up substantially.

## BIG MEETINGS

Tonight All Temperance Workers

Will Meet at Baptist Church

County Mass Meeting

at Hardinsburg.

A union meeting will be held at the Baptist church tonight and all temperance workers are requested to be present. This will be a most important gathering.

Bettie Plank will be the chairwoman. It will be held to organize a sub-committee of the State Anti-Saloon League. Everybody interested in such work are expected to attend.

## Cloverport vs. Tobinport.

A game of base ball was played in Tobinport Sunday between the home boys and the "Pumpkin Rollers" that resulted in a victory for the Hoosiers by a score of 25 to 5.

**Electoral Commissioners.**

The election Commissioners for Breckinridge County have appointed the following election officers for the Local option election to be held in Cloverport, Saturday, August 22, 1908.

Precinct No. 1, W. H. Bowmer and Henry Solbrig, judges; Edward Gregory, Clerk; L. V. Chapin, Sheriff.

Precinct No. 2 H. L. Stader and Price Graham, judges; R. T. Polk, clerk; George Weatherholt, sheriff.

Precinct No. 3, H. A. Oelze and Henry Yeager, judges; Jesse Weatherholt, clerk; Horace Newson, sheriff.

Miss Bessie Mitchell, of Addison, Miss Zella Winchell, of Tobinport, Heribert and Wm. McGary, of Kirks, were the guests of Miss Florence Lewis Sunday.

**GETTING READY FOR VICTORY**

Texas Woman And Superintendent West Push Temperance Work in Cloverport

**ELECTION HERE SATURDAY**

One could have heard a pin drop on the street Monday night while Mrs. Mrs. Mrs. Curtis, of Sherman, Texas, spoke in the interest of local option for Cloversport. Her address to the people was practical, convincing and inspiring. The same can be said about the talk of the Rev. J. W. West, superintendent of the State Anti-Saloon League of Texas. He gave a lecture at the Baptist and Methodist churches Sunday, also spoke on the street Saturday night.

Mr. Curtis and Rev. West have left the city after doing some lasting and splendid work for temperance. Their short stay in Cloversport was a great help and benefit to all.

**Attractive Visitors.**

Miss Virginia McAvock, one of the most charming members of the younger set, was a hostess at the following young girls: Miss Margaret G. Stirman, Owensboro, Miss Marcia King, Marion, and Miss Willie B. Hobbs, Mayville.

**Two Benefactors Are Dead**

Micajah Arms And William Henry

Roberts Were Two Prominent Men

**DEATH MOURNED BY MANY**

Hardsburg, Aug. 18. —(Special)— Micajah Arms' a prosperous farmer, who lived near Robbins' Schoolhouse, between Hardinsburg and Sinking Creek, died very suddenly Sunday, falling from his chair in which he had expressed himself as being comfortably seated. In a short time he was dead. In his usual health the day before, he had served on the coroner's jury on Saturday night over the remains of Jess Hall who had been shot a few hours before.

Mr. Arms was a hard worker of "Uncle Berry" Macy whom he attended through much of the illness that cost "Uncle Berry's" life. He was aged about seventy, active, enterprising, relied upon by all who knew him, a benefactor to his neighborhood and a member of the Methodist church.

His remains were laid to rest in the Hardsburg burying ground on Monday afternoon. The surviving children are: Clint, Nat, Micajah, Addie, Austin, Mrs. Pete Maysey, Mrs. Rousseau, Dowell, Mrs. Wm. Norton and Mrs. Mac Dowell.

**Wm. H. Roberts Dead.**

At 6:30 a. m. Saturday morning, August 15, William Henry H. Roberts, near Custer, breathed his last after an illness of several weeks. He was born near Bewleyton in 1841, and in Breckinridge county he spent his life, respected and honored by all who knew him.

While yet a young man he married Bettie Bruner, daughter of Jefferson Bruner, of Custer. Near her girlhood she and her husband were established in their home by their thrif, economy and industry, they accumulated all of this world's goods, and beautified the surroundings into one of the prettiest country places in the county.

The wife and one child, Almeda, now Mrs. Bennett, survive the husband and wife.

An honest, Christian man is at rest, and sorrowing relatives and sympathizing friends now mourn the loss of one whose life was a model worthy of imitation.

**Lucky Girl.**

The friends of Miss Katherine Moore, a former Cloverport girl, are glad to learn of the decided success in a business way that she is attaining in Louisville. She has a splendid position as stenographer in Zapp's, and also has a night class in Clarke's school. She has been asked by Mr. Clarke to accept a regular place with the faculty during the coming winter term.

**Morning Party.**

Misses Grace Eva and Edith Plank will be at home this morning to a number of their friends from ten until twelve o'clock.

**Midday Party.**

Mrs. T. H. Withers, Chairman.

Mrs. Frank Basham, of Skillman, was here Saturday.

**BIG DAY AT GUSTON**

Members of Farmers Co-Operative Insurance Co. Meet.

Company Makes Good Showing

**OFFICERS ARE ELECTED.**

Aug. 6/08

The Planters Co-operative Insurance Company of Breckinridge and Meade counties met at Guston, Meade County, in yearly meeting on Aug. 6, 1908 and elected J. J. Willet chairman of the meeting, the members being slow about getting there. Geo. W. Dodson, the secretary, gave a lengthy talk on the condition of the Company, and showed how near all home insurance companies came near being legislated out from doing any insurance business in the Commonwealth of Kentucky, there being a bill introduced in the last session of the Legislature and unanimously voted to enforce the Compulsory School Law. Section 4521 A of the law provides—"That every parent, guardian or other persons in the State of Kentucky, having the control of any child or children between the ages of seven and fourteen years, shall be required to send such child or children, annually at least eight weeks of which shall be consecutive to some public or private day or night school for children."

The penalty for failing to comply with this law is forfeiture to the school district by the parent, a sum not less than five nor more than twenty dollars for the first offense not less than ten nor more than fifty dollars for the second and subsequent offenses.

The Board is determined that every patron in the district shall comply with this law, and hope they will not be required to prosecute any one for neglect to do that which they should do without the intervention of the law.

## THE SCHOOL BOARD

Getting Down to Business—Children Must Attend

## THE LAW WILL BE ENFORCED

At a recent meeting of the School Board, it was decided that Monday, September 14th, be the date of opening schools this year.

The Board unanimously voted to strictly enforce the Compulsory School Law. Section 4521 A of the law provides—"That every parent, guardian or other persons in the State of Kentucky, having the control of any child or children between the ages of seven and fourteen years, shall be required to send such child or children, annually at least eight weeks of which shall be consecutive to some public or private day or night school for children."

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## Twin Cucumber

Wm. Embry presented a member of the News staff with a twin cucumber that was quite a curiosity as long as it lasted. It was large and also very tender. Many thanks to Mr. Embry.

## HARDINSBURG.

Coleman Haswell lost a valuable Jersey cow last week.

Bell Bro., have taken five head of horses to the Outer County Fair.

Vic Robertson picked five of his show horses for the Leitchfield Fair and has them on exhibit over there this week.

Miss Mary Richardson, of Louisville, is the guest of Miss Hallie Brown. September 12 will be Louisville day at the Breckinridge Fair.

The driveway to the Fair grounds has been put in perfect order again. A perfect boulevard exists from town to the grounds.

John H. Comer was last week appointed postmaster at Hudson.

The Banks, Merchants and Business Houses have agreed to close each day of the Fair at 12 o'clock noon and remain closed until 5 o'clock p.m.

The Bank of Hardinsburg & Trust Co. has been appointed by the judge of the County Court Administrator of the state of W. R. Shaw deceased, of Louisville.

The train service on the Branch will be greatly improved for the Fair patrons. An early morning train will start from Cloverport or below and will reach here at an early hour and will return each afternoon after the day's exhibits are over. On the third day a special will be run from Owensboro.

At the organization of the trustees of Educational Division No. 1 Saturday afternoon every trustee was present. Jesse Whitworth was elected Chairman and K. Harmon Secretary. A McMeaor was elected trustee of Skillman's sub-district No. 11, and T. F. Triplett elected at Norton's sub-district No. 8. These two places held their election on August 17. T. F. Triplett, Jesse Whitworth, K. Harmon and D. S. Miller and Alce McMeaor drew a one year term. The other six will serve two years each. The second, third, fourth and fifth divisions will be organized this week.

Walter Morrison, of the Planters Hall Stock Farm, was on Saturday's train with a carload of stock enroute to the Leitchfield Fair. His hog, sheep and cattle display will be very fine, the exhibit including some animals that never fail to draw a blue ribbon. From Leitchfield this stock will go to Elizabethtown, then come to the Hardinsburg Fair. From here it will go to the Kentucky State Fair, after which the Tennessee State Fair will be made. Mr. Morrison's stock car was attended by Bill Kiper, his herdsman.

The names of Jesse Whitworth, J. V. McClain, Lee Walls, Mathias Miller and M. H. Beard have been sent to the State Election Board of Commissioners by the Democrats of Breckinridge county, and from this list one will be selected to be a member of the local Board of Election Commissioners.

Taylor Beard's name is the only one remembered by the Republicans who also submitted their five, from which a selection will be made.

# BRYAN ACCEPTS

In Hearty Accord  
With Platform.

## SHALL THE PEOPLE RULE

That Is the Overshadowing  
Question.

## REPUBLICANS RESPONSIBLE.

All Present Abuses a Result of  
Their Acts, and They Are Im-  
potent to Correct Them.

Mr. Clayton and Gentlemen of the  
Notification Committee: I can not ac-  
cept the nomination which you officially  
tender, without first acknowledging  
my deep indebtedness to the Democratic  
party for the extraordinary honor  
which it has conferred upon me. Hav-  
ing twice before been a candidate for  
the presidency, in campaigns which  
ended in defeat, a third nomination, the  
result of the free and voluntary act of  
the voters of the party, can only be ex-  
plained by the substantial and well-  
placed growth in the influences and per-  
sonal worth which a multitude of  
others, have contended. As these prin-  
ciples and policies have given me what-  
ever political strength I possess, the  
action of the convention not only re-  
news my faith in them, but strengthens  
my attachment to them.

**A Platform is Binding.**  
I shall, in the near future, prepare a  
more formal reply to your notification,  
and in that letter of acceptance, I will  
state my platform. It is sufficient,  
at this time, to assure you that I am in hearty accord with both  
the letter and the spirit of the plat-  
form. I endorse it in whole and in  
part, and shall, if elected, regard its  
declarations as binding upon me. And,  
I will add, a platform is binding, not  
what it contains, as well as what it  
contains. According to the democratic  
idea, the people think for themselves  
and select officials to carry out their  
wishes. The voters are the sovereigns;  
the officials are the servants, employed  
for a fixed time at a stated salary  
to do what the sovereigns direct.  
Let it be done in the way the sovereigns  
want it done. Platforms are entirely  
in harmony with this democratic idea.  
A platform announces the party's position  
on the questions which are at issue;  
and an official is not at liberty to  
use the platform as a means to impose  
his own personal views which have not  
been submitted to the voters for their  
approval. If one is nominated upon a  
platform which is not satisfactory to  
him, he must, if candid, either decline  
the nomination, or, in accepting it, pro-  
pose an amendment to the platform  
which will correct the objection.  
No such situation, however, confronts your  
candidate, for the platform upon which  
I was nominated not only contains  
nothing from which I dissent, but it  
specifically outlines all the remedial  
legislation which we can hope to see  
during the next four years.

**Republican Challenge Accepted.**  
The president's statement which re-  
ceived the Republican nomination for  
president said, in his notification  
speech: "The strength of the Republican  
cause in the campaign at hand is the  
fact that we represent the policies es-  
sential to the reform of known abuses,  
to the continuance of our determined  
and energetic policy, and the soundness  
of the principles of the highly protected  
industries. And yet the influence of the  
manufacturers, who have for twenty-  
four years contributed to the Republican  
campaign fund, and who in return  
have framed the tariff schedules, has  
been sufficient to prevent any reform  
as far as the campaign approached."  
The president and Mr. Taft de-  
clared in favor of tariff revision, but  
set the date of revision after the elec-  
tion. But the pressure brought to bear  
by the protected interests has been  
great enough to prevent any attempt at  
tariff revision.

It shall not be denied, however,  
that what he has done in his hope of  
success; it is certainly not on any en-  
couragement he has received from Re-  
publican leaders. It is sufficient to say  
that if his hopes were realized—in  
spite of the adverse action of his con-  
vention, he should succeed in securing  
the enactment of the very law which  
he favors. It would give but partial re-  
lief. He has read the Democratic plat-  
form; not only in language, but his

**Why No Tariff Reform?**  
The president's close friends have  
been promising for several years that  
he would attack the iniquities of the  
tariff. We have had intimation that  
Mr. Taft was ready to do so, but as yet  
what he says upon this subject, you  
will find that his promise falls far short  
of the requirements of the situation.  
He says:

"If I am elected president, I shall  
urge upon congress, with every hope  
of success, that a law be passed requiring  
the filing of a statement of the amount  
of the contributions received by  
committees and candidates in elections  
for members of congress, and in such  
other elections as are constitutionally  
within the control of congress."

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**Should the People Rule?**  
Our platform declares that the over-

shadowing issue which manifests itself  
in all the questions now under discus-  
sion, is "Shall the people rule?" No  
one, who is not an ignoramus, can  
fail to see to what subject we address ourselves.  
The same question confronts us: Shall  
the people control their own govern-  
ment, and use that government for the  
promotion of their welfare? or  
shall the rich and well-to-do, who have  
won upon a defenseless public, while  
the offenders secure immunity from  
subservient officials whom they raise  
to power by unscrupulous methods?  
This is the issue raised by the "known  
abuses" to which Mr. Taft refers.

**President's Indictment Against the Party.**

In a message to Congress last  
January, President Roosevelt said:  
"The attacks by these great corpora-  
tions on the administration's actions  
have been given a wide circulation  
throughout the country, in the news-  
papers and otherwise, by those writers  
and speakers who, consciously or uncon-  
sciously, have been influenced by the  
promotion of these wealthier or  
more powerful classes. The public wealth  
of the nation is the wealth of the people,  
and the enforcement of the president's  
policy to secure remedial legisla-  
tion upon this subject.

**Why No Anti-trust Legislation?**

A few years ago the Republican lead-  
ers in the house of representatives  
were coerced by public opinion into  
the suppression of all the abuses and discrimi-  
nations, but a Republican senate and a  
Republican house of representatives were  
unmoved by its entreaties. In 1900 the Republican national conven-  
tion was urged to endorse the demand  
for railway legislation, but its platform  
was not changed. In 1904 the Republi-  
can convention gave no pledge to  
remedy these abuses. When the presi-  
dent finally asked for legislation for the  
protection of the public, he drew his  
inspiration from three Democratic  
national platforms and he received  
more cordial support from the  
Democratic platform. The Republicans  
deliberately defeated several amend-  
ments offered by Senator La Follette and sup-  
ported by the Democrats—amendments  
embodying legislation asked by the Inter-  
state Commerce Commission. One  
of these amendments authorized the  
secretary of commerce to regulate  
the rates of the railroads. This amendment  
was not only defeated by the senate, but it was over-  
whelmingly rejected by the recent Republi-  
can national convention, and the  
Republican candidate has sought to  
rescue his party from the disastrous  
results of this act by expressing him-  
self in a qualified way in favor of  
accepting the value of the railroads.

**Over-issue of Stocks and Bonds.**

Mr. Taft complains of the over-issue  
of stocks and bonds of railroads, "for  
the unlawful enriching of directors  
and for the purpose of concentrating  
the control of the railroads under one  
management," and the complaint is  
well founded. The railroads are in  
point out the evil, and a Republican  
Congress to correct it, we find nothing  
done for the protection of the public.  
Why? My honorable opponent has,  
by his confession, relieved me of the  
necessity of furnishing proof; he admits  
the condition as he can not avoid the  
inevitable conclusion that the railroads  
are admitted to be dishonest.

**Is the president's Indictment true?**

And, if true, against whom was the  
Indictment directed? Not against the  
Democratic party.

**Mr. Taft Endorses the Indictment.**

Mr. Taft says that these evils have  
crept in during the last ten years. He  
declares that, during this time, some  
of the community, spurred by financial  
success, became unmindful of the com-  
mon rules of business honesty and  
fidelity, and of the limitations imposed  
by law upon their actions" and that  
by the use of their "actions" and the  
deception of the public, the railroads  
have been able to relate and discrimi-  
nate as relates to the railroads, the  
accumulating evidence of the viola-  
tions of the anti-trust laws, by a num-  
ber of corporations, and the over-issue  
of stocks and bonds of interstate rail-  
roads for the unlawful enriching of  
directors and for the purpose of concen-  
trating the control of the railroads under  
one management."—all these, he  
charges, "quicken the conscience of  
the people and brought on a moral  
awakening."

In this time, I beg to remind  
you, Republican officials presided in the  
executive department, filled the cabinet,  
dominated the senate, controlled the  
house of representatives and occupied  
most of the federal judgements. Four  
years ago the Republican plat-  
form was adopted, with the exception of two years  
the Republican party had been in control  
of part or all of the branches of the  
federal government; that for two  
years only was the Democratic party in  
a position to either enact or repeal a  
law. Drawing down the curtain, he  
has covered the eyes of the people and having  
seen the pretense, let the Republican party  
accept the responsibility!

**Republican Party Responsible.**

Why were these "known abuses"  
permitted to develop? Why have they  
not been corrected? If existing laws  
are sufficient, why have they not been  
enforced? All of the executive  
members of the Democratic government  
are new laws necessary? Why have  
they not been enacted? With a Re-  
publican president to recommend with  
a Republican senate and house to carry  
out his recommendations, he could  
have easily obtained the support of  
the people and the support of the  
public for his program. In  
which to do that should have  
been done long ago? Can Mr. Taft  
promise to be more strenuous in  
the prosecution of wrong-doers than  
the Republican leaders, even in  
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the filing of a statement of the amount  
of the contributions received by  
committees and candidates in elections  
for members of congress, and in such  
other elections as are constitutionally  
within the control of congress."

It is sufficient to say that if his  
hopes were realized—in spite of the  
adverse action of his convention, he  
should succeed in securing the  
enactment of the very law which  
he favors. It would give but partial  
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**HOES OF THE LEVEES.**

**Sources of Danger to the Artificial Banks Along the Mississippi.**

"People who know little about our

**system of levees, the artificial banks**

**built to confine the flood waters that**

**pour into the Mississippi, no doubt**

**know that the levees run the**

**risk of collapse, which the levees are**

**noted to contend," said a Baton Rouge man.**

"On the contrary, the levees, both

**during times of flood and low water,**

**are subject to the incessant attacks of**

**living foes, the destructive work of**

**which costs millions of dollars. These**

**foes are crocodiles, turtles, snakes,**

**and crabs. Of all these burrowers that**

**prey on the levees, excavating within**

**them godly chambers or tunnels, the**

**crocodiles and terrapins a good sec-**

**ond. "In repairing the banks crawfish**

**holes are often found of immense size.**

"It is these hollow spaces that in time

**of freshets cause a caving in and break**

**of the levees, which of course bring**

**on an inundation of all the adjacent**

**country. The way to counteract**

**these pests has yet been found, and the**

**only thing to be done is to try to**

**keep them away from the banks as**

**much as possible."—Baltimore Ameri-**

**can.**

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**She Likes Good Things.**

Mrs. Chas. E. Smith, of West Frank-  
lin, Maine, says: "I like good things

and have adopted Dr. King's New Life

Pills as our family laxative medicine,

because they are good and do their work

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WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 19, 1908.

WELCOME TO THE BARBECUE.

Put out your flags and your bunting, put on your best bib and tucker, and go to the barbecue tomorrow. Make the stranger within your gates feel that he is welcome. Give him the glad hand and a soul-stirring shake. Bid him welcome to the best town and the best barbecue on earth.

We don't want to take any back steps in this town. Voting the saloon in will surely do it.

After the barbecue then get on the trail to the County Fair. Do you know that it is going to be one of the best County Fairs in the State.

"Cowheel" is all right on the local option question, and will vote right next Saturday. It would not surprise us if this precinct, No. 1, gave 50 majority for local option.

Our old friend and countryman, Owen W. Sanders, writes that there will be a party of fifty former Breckenridge county people, now living in Evansville, who will attend the barbecue here tomorrow. Good!

There is no finer trait of character than the neighborly trait. It don't take money or lands or great wealth to be neighborly. It just takes thoughtfulness, that's all. It matters not how poor you are you can be thoughtful. It costs so little.

The saloon is one of the greatest sin-making devices on earth. Everybody knows this. Nine-tenths of all the crimes committed in this State are traced to whisky and the saloon. Why, good citizens, do you want these hell holes in our town?

The News has an excellent article from Mrs. Curtis, who has been giving us some thoughts that burn on the temperance question, which we will take pleasure in giving to our readers next week. We regret we did not have it in hand for this issue.

The saloon is no benefit to any community. The only men who get anything out of it are the men who sell the vile stuff. There is nothing advanced either in the industrial or the moral sphere by strong drink except the liquor traffic itself. Vote it out.

Give the young men a square deal. How can they have it with an open saloon before them? Take the saloon out of their path by voting it out of our town. It is not only a nuisance for our boys and girls, but for our men and women. Nothing good in it.

Saloons don't draw trade only for themselves. Many a man has come to this town when the saloons were in full blast, with money in his pocket to buy the necessities of life for his family. He struck the saloon first, spent all his money, went home drunk and without the things that would have made his wife and children comfortable and happy. Who was benefited? Only the saloon-keeper.

Mrs. Curtis certainly knows us men from the cradle up. She tells the truth about us. Isn't it about time for all men to stop their meanness and get to thinking more about our wives, our daughters, our sons and our homes. Men, are we standing on the firing lines with our wives? Get in the front next Saturday and vote with and for our wives, the peace of our homes and the best interests of our town.

The Henderson Route is doing the handsome thing by our County Fair this year in the way of rates and special service. You will always find the railroads ready to co-operate with its patrons to give them the very best accommodations, and do all in their power to help along any worthy enterprise. Mr. M. H. Beard, secretary of the fair, is especially proud of the arrangements he has made with the road and more than thankful to L. J. Irwin, the General Manager.

The highest religious, educational, scientific, insurance and commercial authorities of the age have unequivocally condemned and denounced the liquor traffic as the greatest and most terrible curse of modern civilization, and the Supreme Court of the United States, recognizing this judgment of the world, has officially declared (Dec. 5, 1857) that "We cannot ignore the fact, established by statistics accessible to everyone that the disorder, pauperism and crime prevalent in the country are in large measure directly traceable to this evil."

The late Col. Bob Ingersoll, in his great temperance oration, one of the greatest ever delivered, says of the liquor traffic: "I believe that from the time it issues from the coiled and poisonous womb in the distillery until it empties into the hell of death, dishonor and crime, it demoralizes everybody that touches it, from its source to where it ends. I do not believe anybody can contemplate the subject without becoming prejudiced against that liquor crime. All we have to do, gentlemen, is to think of the wrecks, either bank of the stream of death; of the suicides, of the insanity; of the poverty, of the ignorance, of the destitution; of the little children tugging at the faded and weary breasts of weeping and despairing wives, asking for bread; of the talented men of genius it has wrecked, the men struggling with imaginary serpents, produced by this devilish thing; and when you think of the jails, the almshouses, of the asylums, of the prisons, of the scaffolds upon either bank, I do not wonder that every thoughtful man is prejudiced against this stuff called alcohol."

## DUKES.

H. H. Tindle was in Cloverport Monday.

Mrs. Dan Alsip, of Hawesville, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Ellen Basman.

Hilous Basham visited friends at Goering Saturday and Sunday.

The Misses Hagman, of Skillman, spent a few days last week with their cousin, Miss Senada Powers.

Misses Lizzie Nix and Carrie Bivins spent Tuesday night with Mrs. Laura Young.

Mrs. Elizabeth Dunn spent Monday and Tuesday with her sister, Mrs. Rebecca Powers.

Alonzo Rearden, wife and baby, of Whitesville, were the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Newbury Tuesday and Wednesday.

Eddie Powers spent Sunday at the Tar Springs.

Mrs. Katie Tindle and son, Master George, of Owensboro, are visiting her mother-in-law, Mrs. Jack Tindle.

Clifton Corley, of Patesville, visited friends here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Corley and grandson, Fred Bruner, spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Vina Jarboe of Patesville.

Several from here attended the ball game at Skillman Sunday.

Preaching and Session at the C. P. church next Saturday evening and Sun-

day morning. Rev. J. S. J. Brear of Fordville, pastor.

Several of the young folks from here attended the ice cream supper at Goering Saturday night.

Miss Mabel Hall attended camp meeting near Yelvington from Friday until Sunday.

## BIG SPRING.

Mrs. Straus and children, of Louisville, are the guests of her sister, Mrs. Meyer.

Gabe Meador is here with his brother, John D. Meador.

James Robert Gray of Elizabethtown, is the guest of Carl Meyer.

John D. Meador was in Louisville several days with his wife and children who are there with her parents for a visit.

Malissa Norris returned home Friday from several weeks visit in Louisville.

Miss Mattie Taylor, of Kansas City, Mo., is the guest of Zelma Strother.

School opened here Monday the 17th, with Charles Claycroft as teacher.

Rev. McConnell just closed a protracted meeting at Custer and has begun another at Rosetta.

Mrs. John H. Meador and daughter, Leah, are visiting her daughter, Mrs. T. C. Williams, at West Point.

John Morris has enlarged his store room, which is quite an addition and gives him a great deal more room.

Bill Pendleton has moved his family and is working in the blacksmith shop with Jack Collins.

Mr. A. B. Suter, of Custer, was the guest of Miss Edna Dowell Monday evening.

Mr. Strother and wife, James Harned and C. C. Martin attended Quarterly meeting at Custer on the 15th., that being the last this Quarter.

Mr. and Mrs. McVille Snowden and little son have returned to their home in Cincinnati after spending several weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Clarkson.

The ladies of the Methodist church cleared \$33 on their Ice Cream supper.

Miss Edna Dowell is visiting her sister, Mrs. John Cook, at Custer.

Dr. C. B. Witt was in Louisville last week.

Frank Bush who has been farming in Missouri, is here on a visit to his parents Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bush.

Mrs. A. A. Scott visited friends at Vine Grove last week.

Miss Maud Scott returned home Saturday from a visit to Owensboro and West Point.

Pierce Hardaway, of Bewleyville, was the guest of Dr. Strother Saturday night and Sunday.

Born, to the wife of Martin Craycroft, the 6th., a daughter.

Born, to the wife of Clint Frakes, the 10th., a son.

Born, to the wife of Alex Montgomery, the 13th., a daughter.

Mr. Hugh LaRue, of Hodgenville, and his sister, Mrs. Will Moore, of Texas, are the guests of Miss Zelma Strother.

## GLENDENE.

Dr. J. T. Slaton will be in Glendale Tuesday, August 10, and remain five days.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Hoskins are the proud mother and father of a daughter, Maxine Elliot.

Ino, D. Babbage, of Cloverport, was in town Saturday.

Mrs. Spurrier and Miss Mayme Robison are visiting at Ed. E. Glasscock's.

Mrs. C. L. Fisher, of Rockvale, was the guest of her daughter last week.

Mrs. P. B. Hoskins is ill at this writing.

Misses Edna Mattingly and Jonnie Moorman were the guests of R. A. Cider Monday and Tuesday.

Jno. Owen and Hon. D. C. Moorman went to Hardinsburg Monday.

Miss Mary Franklin Beard, of Hardinsburg is visiting Mrs. E. L. Robertson, W. R. Moorman, Jr., spent several days in Louisville last week.

Little Louise Smith, of Fordsville was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. Smith last Tuesday.

Mrs. Albert Quisenberry and daughters of Fordsville, were the guests of Mrs. Cicero Fenster last week.

Ernest Eskridge is ill at this writing.

Col. E. L. Robertson was in Louisville last week.

Samuel Glasscock, of McDaniels was in town Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Smith went to Fordsville Wednesday to attend the funeral of Mr. Chas. Beard.

Chas. Dean has gone to Dawson Springs for a few days.

The Sunbeam Society will give a measuring party Wednesday on Mrs. W. C. Moorman's lawn.

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The Willing Workers of the Glendale Baptist church gave a Lemon Squeeze Thursday night at the home of Mrs. J. D. Owen. Mrs. W. C. Moore got the prize for having the greatest number of seeds and Nellie Dempster, for the smallest number.

## HARNED.

Quite a number from this place are attending the camp meeting at Kingswood.

Miss Susie Hawkins, of Louisville, passed through here Tuesday enroute to West View, where she will be the guest of her cousin, Miss Edna May Butler, for several days.

Our prayer meetings at the school house on Sunday night's are well attended.

The farmers in this vicinity are delivering their tomatoes at the Hardinsburg canning factory this week.

A few from here attended church at Freedom Sunday.

Mr. E. M. Davis, of West View, was in town Tuesday.

J. M. Crume went to Hardinsburg Monday evening to attend the Red Men's Lodge.

The Misses Bruner, of Oklahoma, are the guests of their grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Carman.

## DR. J. C. BUSH'S

### OFFICE DATES.

Cloverport, 1st, 2d and 3d Monday in each month, for two days.

Hardinsburg, 4th Monday in each month, four days.

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### Remember the Dates.



PERSONAL  
AND LOCAL

Miss Florence Woods went to Addison Friday.

Mrs. Byrne Severs has returned from Owensboro.

Miss Ora Bowditch is visiting relatives in Owensboro.

Mrs. Henry Wendeleken has returned from Nashville.

Mr. and Mrs. Purcell have returned from Evansville.

Mrs. Frances Sawyer has returned from Hardinsburg.

Jim Burk has a position with Allen, the new merchant.

Miss Virginia McGavock has returned home from Skillman.

Miss Eloise Nolte, who has been ill, is very much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos Daniel have returned from Hawsellville.

Mr. Day Beer, of Kansas City, is the guest of Miss Carrie Pate.

Miss Eloise Timmering returned to her home in Louisville Sunday.

Judge and Mrs. J. H. Wills have moved to Mrs. Gibson house.

Mrs. Emma Morelock, of Louisville, is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. H. Wills.

Mrs. V. G. Babage and son, Wallace, spent Tuesday in Hardinsburg.

Miss Ned Smith, of Irvington, is the attractive visitor of Miss Reba Lewis.

Virgil Fontaine, of Louisville, was the guest of William White Wednesday.

Miss Addie Young, of Morganfield, is the guest of Miss Elizabeth Skillman.

C. S. Lamb, of Paducah, spent Saturday and Sunday here with his family.

Mrs. Annie Carr, of Elizabethtown, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. P. Keith.

Miss Louise Jolly, of Hardinsburg, is the guest of Misses Ruby Haynes and Nee Moorman Hook.

Vivian Pierce, of Versailles, was the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Pierce Sunday.

Dr. J. C. Bush has moved his dental office to the Simonds building over the Bank of Cloverport.

Miss Isabella Hendricks, of Hardinsburg, will arrive today to be the guest of Miss Reba Lewis.

Mr. and Mrs. Wickliffe Dehaven returned Sunday from a month's visit to relatives in Texas.

Morrison & Calhoun, dentists, officedownstairs, 245 second street, both phones, Owensboro, Ky.

Rev. E. W. Graves preached an excellent sermon at the Presbyterian church Sunday morning.

Chas. Moorman, of Versailles, was the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Moorman, Sunday.

Miss Bettie Marguerite Malone, of Louisville, is the attractive visitor of her cousin, Mrs. John Ridge.

Dr. W. N. Casper, dentist, will be here Wednesday and Thursday of every week, at Dr. Lightfoot's office.

C. J. Cox and his nephew, H. A. Cox, of Munice, Ind., were visiting his sister, Mrs. Manie Brown, last week.

Mrs. M. E. Newcomb returned to her home at Dekoven, Ky. Saturday after being the guest of Mrs. Phillip Kramer.

Dr. J. C. Bush, Dentist, will be at Cloverport Monday and Tuesday of each week, except week following 4th Monday.

J. B. Blair, after an absence of 18 years from Cloverport, has come back to spend the balance of his days here.

Miss Lella Ware and Miss Ola Keith, of Owensboro, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Keith a few days last week.

Mrs. F. T. Heyser returned home Friday from Logan, West Virginia, where she has been the guest of her son, Roy Heyser, for the past month.

Mr. and Mrs. Cal Hendricks, and children, of Hardinsburg, and Mr. P. J. Herman, of Tell City were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hook Sunday.

The many friends of Miss Maja Eudaley, of Nee, Ky., who was the popular visitor of Rev. and Mrs. B. M. Currie for several weeks this summer, will be pleased to hear that she has won

a trip to the Mammoth Cave in the Madisonville Hustler's popularity contest.

David May returned home from a Northern trip Monday night.

Miss Mildred Baker, of Owensboro, is expected soon to visit Mrs. Frank Payne.

Miss Lillian Sippel entertained Saturday in honor of her guests, Misses Eloise Timmering and Mae Zirkle, of Louisville.

Miss Marion Weatherholt entertained Tuesday. Those present were: Miss Eloise Timmering, of Louisville; Misses Sible and Ruth Mattingly, of Texas; Misses Lillian Sippel, Beatrice McCracken, Mrs. J. E. Weatherholt, of Owensboro, and Mr. and Mrs. Jess Weatherholt, Sr.

## STEPHENSPORT.

Rev. Williett, of Paynesville, preached at the Baptist church Sunday.

James Crawford left Saturday for Memphis, Tenn.

Mrs. Harvey English, Jr., and children are spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. Belle Crawford.

Mr. Armstrong, of Amsterdam, has charge of Mrs. E. A. Blaine's hotel.

Miss Cecil Dix is attending a house party at Miss Dutschke's, at Hollister.

William Pettit returned from Uniontown last week.

There was several from this place attended the moonlight picnic at Addison Friday night.

Mrs. James Beauchamp, of Uniontown, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Pike Conn.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Gilliland returned to their home in Nashville, Tenn., Sunday, after spending several weeks with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Adam Ansprach, of Rome, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Miller of Henderson, passed through town Sunday enroute to Chenoah, to visit Mrs. Miller's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Allen.

P. J. Pettit will soon have Dick Greer's gasoline boat completed. It will be a passenger boat and is a little beauty. Mr. Pettit will begin another one at once for Dick Smith.

## Leg Broken.

James Bishop, a machinist at the Cloverport Foundry, suffered a broken leg Saturday morning while at work. Mr. Bishop was trying to throw off a bolt with his foot when his leg became caught, breaking it just above the ankle.

## Elaborate Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Bohler gave a most sumptuous dinner at their home Sunday. Several courses were served and they were made up of the best and most delicious eatables. The guests who enjoyed the feast were: Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bohler, Yewell Holder, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Bohler and daughter, Gladys, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hoffous and son, Elmer.

## Regulars Up Against It.

David Baird and Son's ball team members of the Louisville City League will play two games this week with the Hardinsburg Regulars. The first game will be called at 3:15 Friday and the second at 2 o'clock Saturday.

The Cloverport Reds will play the Stephenport Junior nine Friday afternoon on the local diamond. A good game is promised.

## Important Ruling.

A Frankfort Special Says: In an opinion he sent to Dr. Ben L. Bruner, secretary of state, this afternoon, Judge James Breathitt, attorney general fully sustains Dr. Bruner in his ruling that no state bank, established under the laws of Kentucky, can establish branches. Just how many branches are affected by the decision is not known, even by Dr. Bruner, although he has several."

## Conjugal Comment.

Mr. Bacon—now, I want you to act natural when we are in church.

Mr. Bacon—Don't be silly! How I want to act natural when I can't talk?—(Yonkers Statesman)

I wish I were an ostrich," said Hicks, angrily, as he tried to eat one of his wife's biscuits but couldn't. "I wish you were," returned Mrs. Hicks. "I'd get a few feathers for my hat." (Globe.)

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## J. W. ELDER, Adm'r.

## SAMPLE.

Cora Stillwell, who has been ill of typhoid fever, is much improved at this writing.

Miss Eula Dowell, of New Bethel, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. L. D. Dowell, this week.

Miss Henrietta Abl, after an extended visit with relatives here, returned her home in Evansville Friday.

The Stork visited the home of Mrs. L. C. Varble Tuesday night, Aug. 11, and left a boy.

Willie Dowell, of Buras, was the guest of his uncle, H. T. Dowell, a few days last week.

Mrs. Wilbur Brown is on the sick list.

Clovis Walls was in Louisville last week on business.

Bill Pendleton and family, of Louisville are spending a few weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Scott Pecknepaugh.

Miss Maud Abl, of Evansville, who has been visiting her cousin, Miss Lillian Dowell, has returned to Cloverport for a few days stay with her aunt, Mrs. John Farrow.

John Yates, of Norton's Valley, and Mrs. Josie Roberts of this place, were quietly married Wednesday evening at 9 o'clock at the bride's home. Rev. Charles Robbins officiating.

Mrs. A. C. Hunter was delightfully entertained at a birthday dinner at the home of Mrs. Hugh Frymire Thursday.

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When Best to Use the Split Log Drag.

### FOLLOWING EACH HEAVY RAIN

Finest Work Done when the Soil is Moist, Not Sticky—Clay Highway Dragging Needs Special Attention. Economy of the Device.

The best results with the split log drag have been obtained by dragging roads once each day after each heavy rain. In some cases, however, one dragging every three or four weeks has been found sufficient to keep a road in good condition.

When the soil is moist but not sticky the drag does its best work, says a bulletin from the government office of public roads. "As the soil in a road will break if plowed wet, so the road will break if the soil is too moist when it is wet. If the roadway is full of earth or badly rutted, the drag should be used once when the ground is soft and sticky. This is particularly applicable before a cold spell in winter, when it is possible to so prepare the surface that it will not break.

Not infrequently conditions are met which may be overcome by a slight change in the manner of hitching. Shortening the chain tends to lift the front slab and make the cutting slight, while a longer hitch causes the front to sink more deeply into the earth and act as a plow.

If a furrow of earth is to be moved, the doubletree should be attached close to the ditch end of the drag, and the driver should stand with one foot on the extreme forward end of the front slab.

Conditions are so varied in different localities, however, that it is quite impossible to lay down specific rules. Certain sections of a roadway will require more attention than others because of steep grades, wet weather, springs, and conditions, exposure to sun, and wind, etc. There is one condition, however, in which special attention should be given. Clay roads under persistent dragging frequently become too high in the center. This may be corrected by dragging the earth toward the center of the road twice a day, and varying the hitch.

There is no question as to the economy of this roadmaking implement, either in first cost or in operation. In six counties in Kansas in 1906 the cost of maintaining ordinary earth roads, without the aid of the split log drag, averaged \$4.50 a mile. These figures were made by Professor W. C. Head of the University of Kansas, who secured them from official records of the counties.

Some figures furnished by F. P. Samborn and R. H. Aishon, general manager of the Chicago and Northwestern railroad, have revealed the wonders of the split log drag. They said: "The least expense per mile per annum for split log dragging was \$1.50, the greatest a little over \$8 and the average expense per mile for five and a half miles a little over \$3. I have lived along this road all my life, and have never seen a road so well protected from mud and dust, despite the fact that during the season we have experienced the extremes of weather conditions."

The testimony of Mr. Aishon is equally strong. Learning that a township in Iowa had been making an investigation into the split log drag, he had been experimenting with it for a year on twenty-eight miles of highway, he sent an agent to secure information. It was reported that, although the town board had paid the cost of making the drags and of hiring men to operate them, the total expense for the year averaged but \$240 a mile, and the roads were reported to have been "like a race track" the greater portion of the year.

The little attacks of stomach trouble and stomach disorders will undoubtedly lead to chronic dyspepsia unless you take something for a sufficient time to strengthen the stomach and give it a chance to get well. If you take Kodol in the beginning the bad attacks of dyspepsia will be avoided, but if you allow these little attacks to go unheeded it will take Kodol a longer time to get you back in condition again. Get a bottle of Kodol today. Sold by all Druggists.

### FOOD FOR CANNIBALS.

One of the Many Tragedies Encountered in Polynesia.

It is not so very long ago that cannibalism was rife throughout Polynesia, so that to be killed, cooked and eaten was the almost universal fate of sailors who chanced to be so unfortunate as to be cast away on any of the outlying little visited islands.

Perhaps the most awful tragedy of the kind on record was that which happened in connection with the loss of the St. Paul's Captain Peacock while on a voyage from Hong-kong to Sydney. This "no steamer" carried besides a full crew, 327 passengers, mostly emigrants.

On Sept. 30, 1858, she was wrecked on the island of Rossel, but all got safely ashore. A little later the crew and 100 of the crew were picked up by the Prince of Denmark steamer. Eventually the French steamer Styx was dispatched to the island and brought away one emigrant. The remaining 329 had been massacred and devoured by the natives.—Pearson's Weekly.



This woman says that after months of suffering Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound made her as well as ever.

Maud E. Forgie, of Leesburg, Va., writes to Mrs. Pinkham:

"I was a suffering woman to know that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for me. For months I suffered from feminine ills so bad that I could not live. I was so ill and after taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and using the treatment you prescribed I felt like a new woman. I am now strong and well never, and thank you for the good you have done me."

### FACTS FOR SICK WOMEN.

For thirty years Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from roots and herbs, has been the standard remedy for female ills, and has positively cured thousands of women who have been troubled with displacements, inflammation, ulceration, scrofula, rheumatism, periodic pains, backache, that bearing-down feeling, flatulence, indigestion, dizziness or nervous prostration. Why don't you try it?

Mrs. Pinkham invites all sick women to write her for advice. She has guided thousands to health. Address, Lynn, Mass.

### THE HUMAN ENGINE.

To Operate This Masterpiece Air is the First Necessity.

Of all the engines cunningly devised by man not one can equal that masterpiece of construction, the engine of the human frame. To run that engine air is the first necessity. Construct it how you will, it needs air to live. The energy which feeds a power plant is lost before it reaches the applying machine. The body only has the power of using energy really economically and efficiently. It food is its fuel. To be available all the constituents of that food must be broken down into the proper parts so that burning the oxygen of the air is essential. Truly true is it that nitrogen must be present to prevent the rapid combustion which would take place in oxygen alone. But, whether the combustion is fast or slow, the action is the same. The body burns the carbon and hydrogen of the food and gives off the oxides of these substances—carbon dioxide (carbon acid gas) and hydrogen oxide (water). The water that is formed within the body by the burning of hydrogen is of comparatively slight importance in a consideration of the total questions in the effect of city air upon the individual, but as a factor, the carbon dioxide formed in the body, is of direct importance.

Holls Godfrey in Atlantic—

### Disagreeable at Home.

Lots of men and women who are agreeable with others, get "cranky" at home. It is disposition, its liver. If you find in yourself, that you feel cross around the house, little things worry you, just buy a bottle of Ballard's Herbs and put your liver in shape. You and everybody around you will feel better for it.

Price 50 cents per bottle. Sold by A. R. Fisher.

### Philadelphia's Anti-tipping Scheme.

A Philadelphia acquaintance has invented a way of getting rid of the "tipping" nuisance. He places a silver quarter in the hollow of his right hand, and, turning to the boy who is pretending to find dust upon his clothes, says:

"You are such a tremendous 'brusher' I will give you this money if you can brush me off my hand."

"Yes, sir," answers the boy with glee unless he has tried the act previously. In that case he gives up the job.

As a general proposition, the most facile "brushing" will not sweep a coin off a human hand. Why this will not do is that the boy is too slow after the reader has tried it himself.

One might almost say that a coin cannot be brushed with a whisk broom off the back as well as out of the palm of a hand.

Give the boy three tries and then return the money to your pocket—Brooklyn Eagle.

### Diarrhoea Cured.

"My father has for years been troubled with diarrhoea, and tried every means possible to effect a cure, without avail," writes John H. Zirkle, of Philipp, W. Va. "He saw Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Kennedy advertised in the Philippi Republican and decided to try it. The result is one bottle cured him and he has not suffered with the disease for eighteen months. Before taking this medicine he was a constant invalid. He now sound and well, and although sixty years old, can do as much work as a young man. Sold at Severs Drug Store."

### PAIN'S BIG MIMIC CITY

Pain's Big Pompeian Spectacle Each Night at the State Fair.

No scene representation could be more realistic than the magnificence view which is spread out before the spectator in Pain's elaborate production "Last Days of Pompeii." The scene is a Pompeian town of four acres of ground, and so perfect is the work of the painter in the perspective that one seems to be looking upon a real city and a landscape that stretches seemingly away for miles. Real massive buildings twenty to fifty feet high, look up in the foreground, representing palaces, temples, etc., of the picturesquely ancient city, whose triumphal arches adorn its streets. Towering above all these is the ever beautiful but treacherous Mt. Vesuvius. A force of over forty skilled scenic mechanics are necessary to place this scenic city in position each day, and a host of expert artists and labor saving devices are now provided.

"Good to be destroyed again.

Not the ancient city that nestled among the Italian hills at the foot of Mt. Vesuvius, but the big scenic city in Pain's vast spectacle of "Last Days of Pompeii" that will be seen at the Kentucky State Fair. This mimic city is to be built in the middle of the State Fair grounds, and will be a copy of the ancient city that perished in the First century of the Christian era. The scenery used in this production covers an area of fully four acres of ground, but so skilfully is the perspective that it appears to spread out over many times that space. The view is said to be marvelously correct and is believed to be the most realistic ever produced by any artist. The archaeologists now suppose the ancient city was at the time it was destroyed. The whole effect under the glare of half a hundred arc lights and calcium is most beautiful. As one sits in the vast amphitheatre and gazes on the scene before him he sees the tall Vesuvius with its head raised against the sky, the smoke rising from the volcano, the sports and feasts of the hippodrome, exciting chariot races, sensational aerial and acrobatic feats, pretty ballets, imposing and gorgeously costumed processions, choruses, music, etc. The tragic dramatic episodes of the spectacle are shown in pantomime, special effects being produced by the terrible eruption of Vesuvius and the destruction of the city by the earthquake, which is a scene thrilling beyond description, and brings into action all the skill and ingenuity of Pain's artists. Following these stirring scenes there is presented a beautiful exhibition of firework, and those who have seen the pyrotechnics of the famous Pain have never realized the full meaning of the word before.

Railroads will make special rates from nearly all surrounding towns on the date of this exhibition.

The most magnificent display of pyrotechnics ever witnessed in this state is promised in connection with Pain's big spectacle. This display is, in fact, the crowning "feature" of the marvelous exhibition, and as Pain has long enjoyed the reputation of "genius of pyrotechnics" in both England and America, it is more than a family remedy, for headache, biliousness and torpor of the liver and bowels is pronounced as a malady to be cured by a word in favor of this exhibition.

"Suppose your nomination were brought to you one fine morning on a silver salver."

"I don't know what I should do with the nomination," said Banville, "but I should certainly keep the salver."

quarter of a million people will take advantage of this rate.

There will be more than 3,000 awards of premiums at the Kentucky State Fair this year, an average of more than 500 awards daily.

For catalogue, entry blanks or other information, write J. W. Newman, Secretary, 320 Paul Jones Building, Louisville, Ky.

Summer complaints and other serious ailments common in hot weather can be traced to the stomach nine times out of ten. Keep the stomach in good order now by keeping a bottle of Kodol handy in the house all the time, but especially during this month. Take Kodol whenever you feel that you need it. That is the only time that you need it; then you will not be troubled with sour stomach, belching gas on the stomach, bloating, dyspepsia and indigestion. Sold by all Druggists

### The Warning Signals.

A Boston physician tells of a youngster of his own that an avocation vacation had put on the sick list. The father had an appropriate prescription filled and left the bottle with the child's mother. As she, however, is very forgetful, he gave her a short note with the directions to take the hours when the medicine should be given, checking off each dose as taken. Upon returning from his evening calls, however, he found the chart blank.

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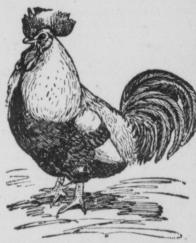
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